

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Hong Zhang et al.
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Examiner	:	Jane J. Zara
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 15, 2009, Applicants hereby request entry of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.